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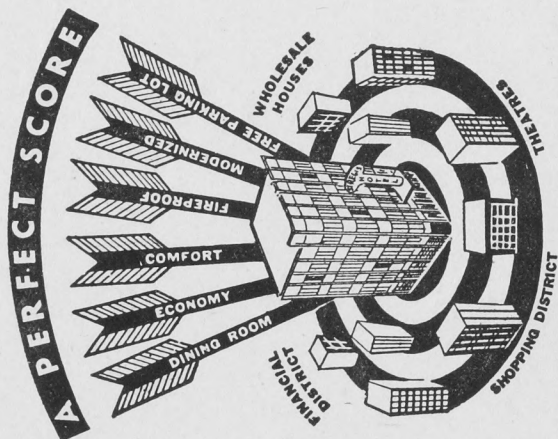
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THE PLAY

Mio, the son of a man condemned and executed for a crime he did not commit, has come to New York determined to clear his father's name. He has heard of a Garth Esdras who is reputed to have been connected in some way with the case, but who was not called as a witness at the trial, and who is the only person who knows the whole truth about the case.

Meanwhile, Trock Estrella, the gang leader who had committed the crime for which Romagna had paid the penalty, has just been released from prison, along with his henchman, Shadow, and although dying of consumption, he too, is determined to find Garth in order to prevent him from revealing the truth.

Judge Gaunt who had presided over the trial, his mind giving way under the fear that he has sent an innocent man to his death, has also come to New York in search of young Garth Esdras in the hope that the latter can reassure him as to the guilt of Romagna.

He finds himself seeking shelter in the home of the old Rabbi Esdras, Garth's father, and it is here that Mio comes, followed by his friend Carr, in order to learn the truth. It is here that the moving love story between Miriamne (old Esdras' daughter) and Mio, and their struggle against the world, sweeps on to a tense and gripping climax.

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"WINTERSET"

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CAST

(in order of appearance)

Trock	MAC PRICE
Shadow	MURRAY McLENAGHEN
Lucia	KEN MESBUR
Piney	VALERIE DUFF
Miriamne	JOAN PURDOM
Garth Esdras	BRUCE COWLEY
Old Esdras	ABRAHAM ROYTENBERG
First Girl	SHARON SEGAL
Second Girl	FLORENCE SHAEN
Judge Gaunt	SIDNEY PERLMUTTER
Carr	MICHAEL MARTIN
Mio	DOUG. RAIN
Herman	PETER WEBB
Policeman	JACK SHAPIRA
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Programme



ACT ONE

SCENE ONE — The bank of a river, under a bridgehead in the east end of New York.

TIME — One early, dark morning in December.

SCENE TWO — A cellar apartment under the tenement building in scene one.

TIME — Shortly after scene one.

SCENE THREE — Same as scene one.

TIME — Evening of the same day.

ACT TWO

Basement of the apartment building, on the same evening.

ACT THREE

The river bank under the bridgehead, just before the close of Act Two.

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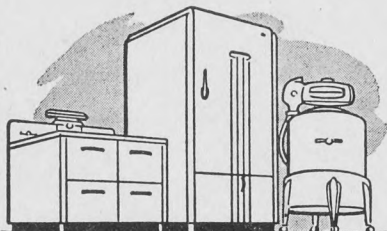
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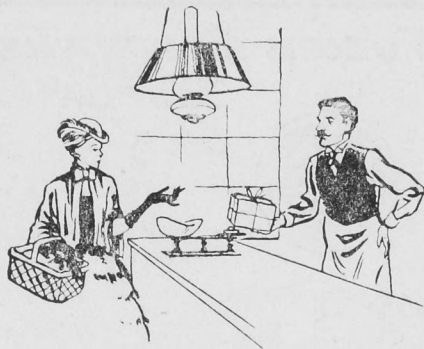
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